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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,

Washington, D.C. 20231

sir:

Petition is hereby made for a 1 month extension of time to respond to the communication of August 12, 1992.

The fee of \$ 110.00 is

(X) submitted herewith.

) to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

() Small entity status of this application is established by the verified statement under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 which

() is enclosed.

() has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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December 11, 1992